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June 24, 2004

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the [X] Utility [] Design [X] nonprovisional [] provisional patent application of:

Inventor / Application Identifier: Kazue WATANABE

See Inventor Information Sheet attached

For: INK-ACCEPTING LAYER FORMING MATERIAL AND WATER-BASE INK

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This is a new patent application.

This is the 35 U.S.C. 371 National Stage Application of the above-identified PCT Application.

This is a provisional patent application.

This is a: Continuation Application
 Divisional Application
 Continuation-in-Part Application
of prior Application Serial No. ____.

Cancel in this application original claims ____ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.

Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
-- This is a Continuation, Divisional, Continuation-in-part, of Application

Incorporation By Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

| ENCLOSED ARE THE FOLLOWING: | | |
|---|-------------------------|---|
| | 0 | Sheets of drawings (<input type="checkbox"/> formal <input type="checkbox"/> informal size A4). |
| X | 24 | Pages of specification including abstract and claims. |
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| Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney | | |
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| X | Preliminary Amendment |
| | Assignment to: |
| | Assignment is of record in prior application Serial No. . |
| | Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet. |
| X | Information Disclosure Statement |
| X | Information Disclosure Citation |
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| X | Application Data Sheet |

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| PRIORITY CLAIMS | |
| | Applicant hereby claims the benefit of the filing date of the following provisional application(s) under the provision of 35 USC 119. |
| X | Applicant hereby claims the benefit under the provisions of 35 USC 119 of the filing dates of the following applications as indicated below and which priority applications are hereby incorporated by reference in the present application: Japan Patent Appln. No. 2003-180351, filed June 24, 2003, Priority Claimed of which certified copies thereof |
| | will follow |
| | are enclosed |
| X | have been filed in the International Bureau |
| | were filed in prior application: |

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CLAIMS FILED AND FILING FEE CALCULATION

| ITEM | — | Rate | Applied Fee |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------|------------------------|
| [] Basic Fee Utility | — | \$300 | |
| [] Search Fee Utility | — | \$500 | |
| [] Exam. Fee Utility | — | \$200 | |
| [] Sheet Fee Utility | Ea. Add'l 50 pgs. over 100 pgs. | \$250 | |
| Small Entity e-Filed Basic Fee Utility: SEE BELOW "Small Entity is Asserted." | — | | |
| [X] Basic Fee - PCT Nat'l Stage | — | \$300 | \$300 |
| [X] Search Fee - PCT Nat'l Stage | 37 CFR 1.492(b)(3) | \$400 | \$400 |
| [X] Exam. Fee - PCT Nat'l Stage | 37 CFR 1.492(c)(2) | \$200 | \$200 |
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| [] Basic Fee - Design | — | \$200 | |
| [] Search Fee Design | — | \$100 | |
| [] Exam. Fee Design | — | \$130 | |
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| Claim Fees | Number Filed | Base Number | Number Extra over Base |
| Total Claims | 145 | 20 | 125 |
| Independent Claims | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Multiple Dependent Claim Fee | — | | \$360 |
| [] Small Entity Status is Asserted | Deduct 50% of above fees | | (\$0) |
| [] Basic Fee Utility - e-filed and Small Entity | — | \$75 | |
| [] Non-English Specification | — | \$130 | \$0 |
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